

Indirect Speech, Attribution Verbs and Signal Phrases

Rewrite the following sentences using indirect speech

1. He said: "I'll have a glass of wine, please"
2. She said: "Let's eat some pizza"
3. Mary said: "I'm sorry for not texting you sooner".
4. She said: "I really want to go home".
5. She said: "Don't use the milk. It's gone bad".
6. The police said: "Don't move!".
7. The scientist said: "Climate change is a real and pressing issue".
8. The reporter said: "The war continues to escalate".
9. She said: "I would rather you didn't leave me alone".
10. They said: "Don't wait for us! Go ahead and have dinner".

Choose the correct form of the verb

1. "I really must know what's going on here." —► She demanded what was going on there.
2. "Don't go in there." —► He warned us in there.
3. "I'm really sorry I didn't get back to you sooner." —► She apologized for back to me sooner.

4. "Let's take a break." —► She suggested a break.

5. "By the way, we missed you at the party" —► They mentioned me at the party.

6. "Fine, I'll help you" —► She agreed me.

7. "Hand in your homework by the end of the week" —► The teacher instructed us our homework by the end of the week.

8. "I'm not telling you anything" —► She refused him anything.

9. "At what time are you having lunch?" —► She wanted at what time I was having lunch.

10. "Go home!" —► Mom told me to go home.

Choose the correct verb or phrase for each sentence.

1. Mr. Ross to know nothing of the matter.

2. The Prime Minister, the economy is expected to grow by 1% next year.

3. The President the allegations, stating they are mere rumors.

4. They their mistake and are looking for possible solutions.

5. The scientists everyone that climate change could continue to get worse if no measures are taken.